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In re application of:

Paul F. Stetson

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For: BLIND SOURCE SEPARATION
OF PULSE OXIMETRY SIGNALS

Customer No.: 20350

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Examiner: Matthew J. Kremer

Technology Center/Art Unit: 3736

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed October 14, 2004, please enter the following amendments and remarks. A petition for a two-month extension of time and a request for continued examination (RCE) accompany this response.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.